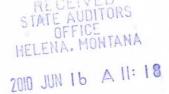
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Mr. Roberta M. Cross Guns Montana, Commissioner of securities and Insurance, Office of State Auditor 840 Helena Avenue Helena, MT 59601

Re: Randall G. Knowles v. Montana, et al. No. 09-10256

Dear Mr. Cross Guns:

The Court today entered the following order in the above-entitled case:

The petition for a writ of certiorari is denied.

Sincerely,

William K. Suter, Clerk